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HORMONE FROM MICROORGANISMS

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AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

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Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Final Office Action dated February 9, 2005, concerning the above-referenced patent application.

Applicants enclose with this amendment a Petition for Extension of Time to make this response timely.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows.

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